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| AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL | Docket No. W0029/7004 |
| Applicant: Martin Hofmann Serial No: 10/650,111 Filed: August 26, 2003 For: MULTIPORT SWITCHING VALVE FOR A LIQUID FLOW SYSTEM Examiner: John C. Fox Art Unit: 3753 | |

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Transmitted herewith for filing is the following:

Enclosures

- ☒ Amendment
- ☒ Petition for a 2 month Extension of Time
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard
- ☐ Other:

Small Entity

- ☐ Applicant/assignee claims small entity status.
- ☐ Small entity status is no longer claimed.

Fees

| Claims as Filed | | | | | |
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| | Claims Filed | Highest Number Paid for | Number of Extra Claims | Rate | Additional Fees Due |
| Total Claims (37 CFR §1.16(c)) | 18 | - 20 = | 0 X | \$50.00 = | \$ 0.00 |
| Independent Claims (37 CFR §1.16(b)) | 1 | - 3 = | 0 X | \$200.00 = | \$ 0.00 |
| Extension Fee | | | | | \$ 450.00 |
| Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity | | | | | \$ 0.00 |
| Total Filing Fee | | | | | <u>\$ 450.00</u> |

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Payment

- ☐ Check in the amount of the total filing fee.
- ☐ Charge Account No. in the amount of the total filing fee. A duplicate of this transmittal sheet is attached.

Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 and §1.17 required by the attached paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No. 02-3038.

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